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FOR THE IDENTIFICATION, ASSESSMENT,
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CANCERS

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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Final Office Action which issued on June 1, 2006 in the above-identified patent application, finally rejecting claims 1, 4-8, 11-14, 70, and 71.

Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.